



King George County

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King George County Board of Supervisors Appoints a New County Administrator

The King George County Board of Supervisors is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Christopher R. Miller as its new County Administrator. Mr. Miller, who has almost twenty years of experience in regional and local government management throughout the country, succeeds Dr. Neiman Young, who resigned in January. Former County Administrator Travis Quesenberry has served as Interim County Administrator during the recruitment process. At a special called meeting on Tuesday, June 29th, the Board of Supervisors unanimously approved an employment agreement with Mr. Miller.

Board Chair Annie Cupka said, "We are pleased to welcome Mr. Miller to our community and look forward to his leadership of the County workforce and in the implementation of the Board's vision for the County. The Board was impressed by his knowledge, experience, and demeanor and believes that Chris will be an excellent fit for King George County and the region. We are gaining a tested manager with a track record of achievement in strategic planning, facilitation, citizen service and staff development and empowerment."

The Board of Supervisors conducted a national search for the new County Administrator, assisted by The Berkley Group, of Bridgewater, Virginia. The Berkley Group received applications and conducted initial interviews with the most qualified candidates. It then assisted the Board with selecting finalists for interviews with the Supervisors.

Mr. Miller received a Bachelor of Arts degree in history and political science from the University of Northern Colorado and a Master of Public Administration degree from The University of Colorado School of Public Affairs. Mr. Miller started his career in public service in the City of Louisville, Colorado where he held the positions of Staff Analyst and Assistant to the City Administrator. He then served as City Administrator of Lamar, Colorado from 1994 to

1999 and as the first City Administrator of Bay Minette, Alabama from 1999 to 2006. After his service as a local government manager, Mr. Miller moved into regional government, serving as the Deputy Executive Director and then Executive Director of the South Alabama Regional Planning Commission from 2006 to 2016. In his most recent position Mr. Miller served as the Executive Director of the Northeast Texas Regional Mobility Authority, a quasi-independent government entity located in Tyler, Texas and serving a fourteen-county region with over 800,000 residents for the delivery of transportation related services. Mr. Miller is a member of the International City/County Management Association (ICMA), where he was recognized as a Credentialed Manager.

Mr. Miller shared these thoughts about his appointment, "I am excited to be returning to local government where I can more directly assist the elected officials and staff in serving the County residents. I was attracted to King George County by its location and natural beauty and believe that my experience in planning and transportation can help to achieve the Board's goal of accommodating reasonable growth while maintaining the County's quality of life and rural character. I appreciate the confidence that the Board has shown in me, and I am looking forward to meeting and getting to know and serve the employees and citizens of King George County."

Mr. Miller will assume his duties as King George County Administrator on July 12th.